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Magnificent Arches Being Erected on the Main Thoroughfares—Business, Politics and Social Functions Side Issues Now—Arranging for 100,000 Visitors.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 7.—An eruption of red, white and blue has broken out all over the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny. It has become epidemic, and every hour sees fresh bursts of color while the stars on "Old Glory" rival in number those of the heavens. Every business house is robed in bunting and decorated with banners, and there will be but few dwellings that will not be bedecked in the national colors. Magnificent arches are being erected in the main thoroughfares, search lights of intense power are being placed on the surrounding heights and experts are trying to outdo each other in the size and beauty of electric light designs. Business, politics and social functions are merely side issues just now. The one prevailing and all-absorbing idea is to prepare a fitting reception for the veterans who are coming here to attend the twenty-eighth national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. Applications for quarters are pouring in to the office of local executive council from all parts of the country. It was thought that the hard times would affect the attendance at the coming encampment. It has, however, become generally understood that this will be the last encampment at which the old soldier will parade in tens of thousands. Old age and its infirmities are rapidly overtaking the heroes of '61-'65, and many are no longer able to march long distances regardless of storm or sunshine. The route this year is shorter than at any previous encampment, being but two miles in length.

Strangers have already begun to arrive. The majority of them so far are men who expect to turn a penny or two during the encampment. A few old soldiers from distant points have arrived, bringing with them their wives and children. In addition to the veterans and their relatives, an enormous crowd of visitors are expected and the vanguard has already reached here. They feel that they may never again have the opportunity to see so many of the nation's heroes massed in one place.

The first of the veteran organizations to reach here are scheduled to arrive on Saturday and arrangements have been made to meet them at the depots and escort them to their quarters. The naval veterans will arrive on that day and they will be quartered in boats on the Monongahela river. On Sunday the railroads have arranged to bring in 20,000 more and by Monday evening nearly 100,000 veterans will be here.

The finishing touches were placed Thursday on the mammoth building of Westinghouse in which a reception will be tendered next Wednesday evening to the delegates to the G. A. R. encampment, the Women's Relief corps and the ladies of the G. A. R. This will be the social event of the encampment. Every civilian will be expected to attend in full dress, while the military men and members of the G. A. R. will appear in their uniforms.

The contest for the honor of holding the next encampment will likely be a hot one, although but two candidates have so far appeared, St. Paul and Louisville. The latter already has a representative on the ground, and he is confident of victory.

ASSAULTED AND ROBBED.

Masked Men Enter a Farmer's House Near Leon, Ky.

LEON, Ky., Sept. 7.—R. M. Graves, a prosperous farmer on Elk Fork, was murderously assaulted Wednesday night at his home by three masked burglars. He was aroused about midnight, after they had gained an entrance through the window. They demanded money. Upon being refused they knocked him down with some blunt instrument and inflicted several severe wounds on his head and face. The men then proceeded to rob the place of what they could find and fled. Graves was found Thursday morning about six o'clock by some men who had come to do his thrashing. He was unconscious, and was removed to his brother's, about a mile away and a doctor was summoned, who pronounced him fatally injured. The burglars secured about $30.

Old Feud Results in Murder.

BEDFORD, Ind., Sept. 7.—John Smith shot and almost instantly killed Walter Mitchell. The shooting occurred near the Stotts place, about five miles south of here. It is claimed that a feud has existed for some time between the men, and when they met the trouble was renewed. Smith fled, but the sheriff and a posse pursued and overtook him. He was jailed.

Jordan's Stormy Bank.

OTTUMWA, Ia., Sept. 7.—"Stormy" Jordan, the notorious saloon man, once immensely rich, but who spent all his wealth fighting Iowa's prohibition law, was unable to pay his license and was closed up. He is now nearly a pauper.

Getting Ready for Business.

ELWOOD, Ind., Sept. 7.—Frankton's window-glass plants are getting ready to start up since the wage scale has been adjusted, and the start will likely be made next week. They employ 300 men.

Wesley Warner Hanged.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., Sept. 7.—Wesley Warner was hanged here Thursday for the murder of Lizzie Park on September 15, 1892.

TIME, 2:02 1-2.

Astounding Speed Developed By Robert J., the Great Pacer.

In Another Heat He Repeats His 2:03 3-4 Effort With Ease.

Joe Patchen, While Beaten Fairly, Covered Himself With Glory—Last Quarter of the First Heat (0:34) the Fastest That Was Ever Paced in a Race.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 7.—Robert J. and Joe Patchen paced a sensational race at the fair grounds Thursday for a stake of $5,000 hung up by the Indianapolis Driving club. The former broke his wonderful record, going the mile in 2:02½. Their performances in the three heats prove the bay gelding the better of the two horses, but the difference between them is very slight. Their race furnished the fastest first heat ever paced, the fastest second heat, the fastest third heat and the fastest average time (2:03⅓) in a pacing race. The last quarter of the first heat (0:34) was the fastest quarter ever paced in a race.

Patchen, while beaten fairly, covered himself with glory. He made the first heat in four flat, and in the second followed the gelding under the wire only an eyelash behind, in 2:02¾. The heat seemed to be his until Robert J. made one of his famous spurts and cut him out of it. If the race had been protracted to five heats many think he would have won it.

Patchen has the prettier gait of the two, being without breaks, while the gelding broke twice. Thd first break occurred in the first heat, just after getting the word. Driver Geers pulled him out to the outside of the track and threw him into his stride six lengths in the rear. He then settled down and took the pole away from the stallion before the home stretch was reached, leaving Patchen to trail in.

The third heat was started with the pacers nose to nose, and was a beautiful trial of even speed until the gelding broke in the third quarter and lost several lengths. But his recuperative power enabled him to overtake the black beauty just before the wire was reached, though Jack Curry was making the whip streak the stallion's back.

When the result was announced the ten thousand people went wild with excitement, and cheers were given for the horses, the drivers, the owners, the club and the track, which had been made famous.

Games Played Thursday.

*Philadelphia....16 / Cincinnati.... 2
*Brooklyn.... 2 / Cleveland....13
*New York.... 6 / Pittsburgh.... 5
*Boston....10 / Louisville....15
*Baltimore....14 / Chicago.... 6
*Washington....11 / St. Louis.... 2
*Philadelphia....14 / Cincinnati.... 7
*Where game was played.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Pr Ct.
Baltimore	75	36	111	.676
New York	75	40	115	.652
Boston	73	40	113	.646
Philadelphia	66	47	113	.584
Brooklyn	61	51	112	.545
Cleveland	57	53	110	.518
Pittsburgh	54	58	112	.482
Chicago	50	63	113	.442
Cincinnati	47	67	113	.412
St. Louis	46	68	114	.404
Washington	40	74	114	.352
Louisville	33	80	113	.287

Murdered and Robbed.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 7.—The partially decomposed body of Fred Moser, a wealthy carriage manufacturer of Caseyville, Ill., was taken from the Mississippi river, near the Illinois shore, Thursday morning. The body was bound tightly with rope, which was twisted four times around his arms and legs. Moser was in this city Monday, and made some extensive purchases. It is believed he was waylaid and murdered and his body thrown into the river.

Little Lad Dragged to Death.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 7.—Hudson, the 17-year-old son of Valentine Rathbone, of Palestine, Wirt county, while playing with a colt, tied the halter around his own neck, frightening the animal, which ran wildly around the field, dragging the child a mile. When rescued his body was entirely denuded of clothing and terribly lacerated, and he was fatally injured internally.

Fastest Bicycling.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 7.—J. P. Bliss went, on Hampden park Thursday, the fastest mile ever made on a bicycle, making the record for the paced mile, flying start, of 1:52 3-5, and incidentally lowering the three-quarter record to 1:23. He was paced by three tandem teams. The records for the distances were 1:53 1-5 for the mile and 1:24 4-5 for the three-quarters, made at Waltham, July 28, by Harry C. Tyler.

She Wanted to Die.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 7.—This community was shocked Thursday by the attempt of Mrs. M. A. Hunt to commit suicide. She had been released from the insane asylum as cured. Her husband, M. A. Hunt, treasurer of the American Florists' association, committed suicide by shooting about six weeks ago.

Gov. Peck Renominated.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 7.—In the evening session of the democratic convention, Thursday, Gov. George Peck was renominated for governor on the third ballot. The platform reaffirms the national platform of 1892, and indorses the new tariff. The A. P. A. is denounced.

China Buys Ammunition.

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Sept. 7.—The Winchester Repeating Arms Co., of this city, has just completed and shipped to the Chinese government 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition by rail to the Pacific coast.

Police Captain Stephenson Dismissed.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—The police commissioners Thursday announced that they had found Police Captain Stephenson guilty of bribe taking, and he had been dismissed from the force.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Uniform Rank Will Hereafter Be Independent, Except as to General Laws.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—An important matter which was settled by the supreme grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, Thursday night, was the adoption of the report of the special committee on the uniform rank.

The result is to practically divorce the uniform rank from the supreme lodge. The latter body will make general laws for its guidance, but will create a supreme council, consisting of the major general of the uniform rank, his adjutant general and the brigade commanders of the various domains. This council will be under the supreme lodge only so far as that the election of the major general by the uniform rank must be ratified by the supreme lodge of which he still remains an officer.

Beyond that the uniform rank is made practically an independent organization. It will have absolute control of its own finances and may make its own laws.

The custom of allowing certain lodges to translate their ritual in German was the subject of consideration before the Pythian supreme lodge Thursday morning.

Both the majority and minority reports were read, and a lively discussion followed. The majority report was finally adopted. Yeas, 79; nays, 36. And thus the German question was settled adversely to the use of the German language.

The special order for Friday at 10 o'clock will be the report of the council of administration, recommending the non-recognition of the Pythian sisters.

A time has not been fixed for the final disposition of the temperance question, although it is expected that the action taken will only be a ratification of that taken Wednesday in committee of the whole.

The proceedings showed that since the decision of the Kansas City supreme lodge against any but the English ritual, but one lodge—a lodge in Birmingham, Ala., has surrendered its charter on that account.

TRADE CONGRESS.

The American Federation of Labor Delegate Makes an Impression.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—At Thursday's sitting the Trades' Union congress approved the introduction of a bill giving rural laborers holding land a guarantee of tenure for the same. A resolution was passed declaring that employers ought to be legally punished for importing extra labor into any locality where the existing supply is sufficient to meet the needs of the district. It was also resolved that promoters of public works should be compelled to provide suitable dwellings, with thorough sanitary appointments, for their workmen.

Mr. Lloyd, the delegate representing the American Federation of Labor, addressed the congress. He said the time had come when the wage earners of the world should unite in closer fraternity. The fact that the trades unions of Great Britain had made greater progress in the matter of federation than those of America, he thought, was partly due to the fact that there was little homogeneity among the workingmen of America.

The honesty of purpose of the labor leaders in England was recognized in America as the one secret of success of their efforts in cementing the trades unions. He expressed hope that delegates representing English unions would attend the labor congress which was to be held in Denver in December. Mr. Lloyd's speech elicited a vote of thanks.

A prolonged debate ensued upon a resolution to nationalize all lands containing mines of minerals.

Black Diphtheria.

ELYRIA, O., Sept. 7.—Two daughters of Superintendent Johnson, of the county poorhouse, a servant girl, and a lad and young woman, inmates, are down with black diphtheria, and one or two of the cases are likely to prove fatal. A quarantine was Thursday declared by the county commissioners. It has been ascertained that there is no ventilating pipe to the main sewer at the infirmary.

Lynchers Indicted.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 7.—The grand jury Thursday morning returned indictments for murder in the first degree against W. S. Richardson, J. D. Laxton and E. T. Atkinson, in connection with the lynching of six Negro prisoners near Millington Friday night. There are six counts in each bill.

Gee Grimes Killed.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 7.—Gee Grimes, one of the best-known turfmen in Indiana, was almost instantly killed Thursday afternoon while driving in a free-for-all pace, his horse falling, throwing him against a fence. He was owner of Harry Hornet, Guerita and several other good horses.

Walter Badly Injured.

PARIS, Sept. 7.—In the six-hour bicycle race at the Velodrome Buffalo, Thursday, Walter, of America, was thrown from his wheel in a collision and struck on his head. He was stunned and badly bruised.

Murder Suspected.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 7.—The body of Mrs. LaFrance has been found in the Racket river, near Hogansburg, St. Lawrence county. Murder is suspected.

Ten More Dead Bodies Found.

HINCKLEY, Minn., Sept. 7.—Thursday word was received that searchers had discovered ten more bodies about a mile and a half northeast of Hinckley.

Kidnaped and Probably Murdered.

CASSOPOLIS, Mich., Sept. 7.—Dr. W. A. Conklin, of this place, was kidnaped and probably murdered.

Fatally Burned by Gasoline.

SAGINAW, Mich., Sept. 7.—Wm. McMahon and wife, of this city, were fatally burned by a gasoline explosion.

The American Social Science association was in session at Saratoga, N. Y., Thursday.

A GENUINE CASE

The Real Epidemic Asiatic Cholera of 1854.

That is What the Doctors Say of the Death at Cumberland.

The Body of the Victim Buried in a Deep Grave Four Miles Out of Cumberland—No Signs of Sickness Among the Suspects in and Around Pittsburgh.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Sept. 7.—Dr. C. H. Ohr, one of the attendants of Peter Walther, (who died Wednesday night from a supposed attack of cholera) in an interview Thursday morning states that the case was one of genuine Asiatic cholera—the genuine epidemic cholera of 1854.

The body of Walther was buried Thursday morning in a deep grave four miles east of this city, and the caboose in which he lay was thoroughly fumigated. The doctors who attended him say the case was one easily defined, and that all of the symptoms pointed to genuine Asiatic cholera. They say that there is no fear of any other cases in this city, as the precautions taken in Walther's case were thorough and complete.

Dr. Duke telegraphed to the state board of health at Baltimore to send on an agent to make a diagnosis of the case. The reply was: "We are too busy to send any one."

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Dr. E. T. Duke, secretary of the board of health of Cumberland, Md., has telegraphed the marine hospital service in regard to the supposed case of Asiatic cholera. The surgeon-general has called for full particulars. There have been no cases of cholera reported from Bavaria to the marine hospital service, and the surgeon-general is inclined to regard the case as one of the many isolated cases resembling cholera which occur from time to time. Had it been true Asiatic cholera it is extremely improbable that the victim could have been afforded temporary relief so as to enable him to pass quarantine, as the report states.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 7.—Dr. J. G. McCandless, of the bureau of health, stated Thursday morning that he had received a report from the inspectors sent to look after the quarantined companions of the dead man at Cumberland, Md., and that every member of the party was well, and no signs of the least sort of disorder were evident. Superintendent Baker left for Shaner station at 10:30 o'clock to look after the quarantined immigrants, and took with him an immense amount of disinfectants.

ARSENIC IN THE WELL.

Nine Persons Poisoned by an Enemy of a Farmer.

WABASH, Ind., Sept. 7.—A case of wholesale poisoning is reported from Dundee, a country town twenty-five miles southeast of this city. James Strine, a saw-mill man, who lives a short distance from his mill, has, with his family, been ill for some time, and he fancied that he noticed indications of arsenical poison. His children especially suffered severely and he concluded to have analysis made of the water the family had used. A bottle of the well water was procured and taken to Dr. Crenia, at Hartford, who found unmistakable traces of arsenic in the liquid. He at once advised Strine to drink no more water from the well and close it up, and said that the water in the well was impregnated with the poison, as was that in the bottle. A full pound of arsenic had been emptied into the well. Strine asserts that enemies have tried to poison him and his family, and claims that he knows of a man who recently bought a pound of arsenic at Dundee, and strongly suspects him of the crime. There were nine persons all told drinking water from the well and all were made very sick.

Latest Returns From Vermont.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Sept. 7.—Additional returns from all the towns of the state, except fifteen, show that the majority for Woodbury for governor will be nearly if not quite thirty thousand. This will be a gain over the republican majority of 1890, the last official election, and ten thousand over the majority given Fuller three years ago. The returns indicate that the next house of representatives will contain 242 members, and all of these will be republican except nine.

English Salt Free.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The treasury department Thursday in a letter in answer to an inquiry from the Leroy Salt Co., of Leroy, N. Y., states that salt imported from England is free from duty under the new law, inasmuch as England does not impose a duty on salt imported to that country from the United States. This decision, however, does not apply to Canada and some other English dependencies.

Land Agents Dropped.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Some changes in the force of special agents of the general land office will be required unless an additional appropriation for the service is made early in the next session of congress. The present appropriation for that work is $50,000, which is said to be inadequate for the expenses for the force of between thirty and thirty-five agents. None have been dismissed so far.

Postal Robbers Arrested.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The arrest of Peter A. Deyo, assistant postmaster at Moriah Center, N. Y., charged with rifling registered letters, was reported to the post office department Thursday. The arrest was made Thursday morning. Inspector in Charge McMechen has also caused the arrest at Greeley, Col., of Clem Duval for postal thefts.

Compulsory Eight-Hour Law.

SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 1.—The colonial legislature has agreed to make compulsory the observance of eight hours as a day's work for miners.

STOLEN BY GYPSIES.

Escapes and Settles Near His Old Home—By Accident His Identity is Discovered.

LIMA, O., Sept. 7.—A remarkable story, stranger than fiction, has just come to light in this city. Twenty-four years ago Martin Leffell, then a lad 8 years of age, lived with his parents and brother and sister near the quiet little village of Kossuth, near here. The parents were well to do, and they lived as happily as any family could. One day a roving band of gypsies passed through that way, and when they left the community, Martin was stolen. He roved around with this band for years, during which time his name was changed to Henry Shaffer. Some time afterward the gypsy band again returned into this part of the country, when young Shaffer ran away from them, and began working on a farm a short distance from Beaver Dam, this county. Here he stayed until he was 20 years of age, during which time he did odd chores at night and saved up $60. He was anxious to get away from the farm, however, and finally ran away one night and came to Lima, where he began driving stock for a stockbuyer.

He has been engaged in the stock and butcher business nearly ever since. During this time he has been in nearly every portion of this and Auglaize counties, and is well known by nearly all the farmers in this territory. On January 15, 1880, Shaffer became a Benedict, his bride being one of Lima's respectable young ladies. Their life has been a happy one, and six children have blessed the union, two of whom are still living, one boy and a girl.

After his escape from the band that kidnaped him he forgot his real name, and where his parents resided at the time he was stolen.

Things went on in this way, and he would probably never have known any more but for an accidental happening in a storeroom Wednesday. He entered into conversation with a stranger, and after a time Shaffer introduced himself, and the stranger likewise gave his name. It was George Leffell.

Shaffer was for the moment unable to speak, but finally, with an effort, asked the gentleman if he remembered of any of his relatives having disappeared many years ago. Leffel then grasped Shaffer's hand and asked him if he was Martin Leffel, who had so mysteriously disappeared from home 24 years ago, and who bore the same scar on his chin that he did. Explanations followed, and Shaffer learned that his mother was still alive and well, and cherished the fond hope that some day her beloved boy would be restored to her. The reunion took place Thursday, and was indeed a happy affair.

Railway Clerks' Convention.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 7.—The question of reorganizing under the lodge system was dropped entirely for the year at the meeting of the M. B. A. of the U. S. R. M. S. Thursday, and the association will run along on its old and successful plan. A few minor changes were made in the constitution, so that it would conform with the laws of Illinois. The principal change was in relation to the payment of death benefits.

Diphtheria in an Infirmary.

ELYRIA, O., Sept. 7.—A startling condition of affairs exists at the county infirmary here, where live cases of diphtheria are reported, two of which are daughters of the superintendent. Investigation shows the cause to be bad plumbing. The commissioners are investigating the matter.

Iowa Soldiers' Monument.

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 7.—The cornerstone of the Iowa soldiers' and sailors' monument was laid Thursday with appropriate ceremonies and under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity. The city was gayly decorated in honor of the event. A grand parade of veterans preceded the exercises.

Hog Cholera in Indiana.

KOKOMO, Ind., Sept. 7.—The worst epidemic of hog cholera ever known here is now raging in this county. The disease simultaneously in different sections, and is destroying its victims by the drove. Two farmers lost their entire herds of eighty hogs each inside of four days.

The United States Ship Adams.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The United States ship Adams has arrived at New Whatcom, Wash., from Behring sea. She is the vessel which ran aground at the Seal islands and was injured. She will be ordered to Mare island and repaired.

Austrian Army Maneuvers Ended.

VIENNA, Sept. 7.—The Austrian army maneuvers closed at Landskrom Thursday with four hours' brilliant sham fight during which two entire army troops and over one hundred field pieces were engaged. Emperor Francis Joseph was present.

Wages Adjusted.

ELWOOD, Ind., Sept. 7.—The United Window Glass factory, at Orestes, five miles east of this city, began operations Thursday night with 500 hands, who have accepted the 22½ per cent cut, and propose to make the best of it.

Gave Himself Up at Last.

DENTON, Tex., Sept. 7.—Spence Holder, who was indicted by a Denton county grand jury twenty-three years ago for killing Frank Copenhaver, and who made his escape and has been at large ever since, came in Thursday and gave himself up.

Hanged For Killing His Sweetheart.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Sept. 7.—Bernard Altenberger, who murdered Katie Rupp, his sweetheart, was hanged at 10:04 Thursday morning. Altenberger's killing of Katie Rupp was cold-blooded, deliberate and premeditated.

Will Lead the New Hampshire Democracy.

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 7.—Col. Henry O. Kent was unanimously nominated for governor by the democratic state convention Thursday. The platform reaffirms the principles of the Chicago platform.

Cash Balance.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—In the treasury Thursday was $127,001,584, of which $55,357,347 was gold.

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LAWRENCE and Delano, the political wool raisers of Ohio, are holding a convention of the wool growers, at the fair grounds in Columbus, to denounce free wool, yet the New York Economist of last Saturday says: "'In the face of the enactment of this dread tariff,' the fleece of the poor American sheep has been eagerly competed for at an advance of 10 per cent. on recent prices." The Economist is the leading class journal of the country.

THE shipments of iron ore for 1894 from the Lake Superior region has far exceeded last year. The Cleveland Leader, the champion of McKinleyism, says this fact indicates an enlarged consumption of iron and steel, and adds:

"A general improvement in the demand for iron manufactures means, in turn, that confidence and business are becoming more nearly normal than they have been for a long time past. It proves that the times are changing for the better, and there is no surer indication that men of means are planning more freely for the investment of capital in great enterprises than they have been before in many months. The signs of reviving business multiply and become more striking as time passes."

And yet the "free trade tariff" is scarce two weeks old. If this is the fruit in the green, what shall it be when the harvest is ripe?

REPUBLICAN papers are having much to say of the $112,000,000 of raw sugar that they allege the trust has imported. If they will look on page 172 of senate tariff bill which is in our office, they will find that during the year ending June 30th, 1893, there was imported sugar to the value of $114,959,870.12, and for year ending June 30, 1894, it was $121,055,031, an increase of less than $10,000,000. We read an article on this question so manifestly false that we were lead to investigate, and upon going to each of the wholesale houses on Front street we found that upon Sept. 6, 1893, they wholesaled sugar at $5.60 per hundred weight, and upon Sept. 6, 1894, they were wholesaling it at $5.52 per hundred weight. This was the best granulated. Thus you can see that sugar is 37 cents cheaper per hundred, or over one-third cent per pound, than it was one year ago. A few months ago when it was put on the free list by the house it dropped lower than it had ever been before, but under the McKinley bill, one year ago, you were paying over one-third of a cent more for sugar than you are today. McKinleyism gave the trust free raw sugar and protected the refined, or gave the trust over $25,000,000 annually. You can't deceive intelligent people.

THOUSANDS and thousands of laboring men are leaving the Republican party. The West has for years been duped by the party of monopoly. It has suffered from the greed of trusts and combines that has been fastened upon it by Republican legislation. In 1873 left by John Sherman the Republican party demonetized silver, thereby doubling the liability of every man in debt, and diminishing the price of his products and property. Prices have dropped with silver. Supposing the legislature would pass an ordinance, that drays could only be used in transporting persons and merchandise in Columbus, it would depreciate the value at least one-half of every other vehicle in the state, and drays would be doubled in value. The effect is the same in the demonetization of silver. Silver has depreciated or gold has doubled in value. This crime will be remedied and it will be done by the South and the West. The south is reliable, true to the Democratic party and the West is deserting the ship that has been for thirty years steering for the harbor of trusts and gold monism. No party can deliver the people body and soul to the Shylocks of England and Wall street or to the dormant trusts manipulated by them some men. Here in our own state there is a man running for congress pledged to the gold standard. His whole interest is opposed to freeing the people from the influences that are now rapidly making them poorer. Will Republicans unclench the hand that stabs them? Will Fenton vote for the remonetization of silver upon a ratio of 16 to 1?

THE Pittsburg Post, in a caustic editorial on the Pullman strike and incident circumstances, says:

"The testimony of George M. Pullman throws a flood of light on the operations of the Pullman company. The company's capital stock has been increased from $1,000,000 to $36,000,000, and its dividends from the start have never been less than 8 per cent., and in some years were as high as 9½ and 12 per cent. This represents the business for the past 27 years. In that time a surplus had also been accumulated, besides paying these large yearly dividends of $25,000,000. These surplus earnings were devoted to the Pullman land association, which takes in the town of Pullman. So it will be seen the whole concern is substantially one parent corporation, with branches all pouring their golden stream into one fountain.

"Pullman admitted that his company in these hard times has been making profits at the rate of $2,800,000 a year, without counting the surplus, which must amount to another million a year at the least. Yet he found it necessary to reduce wages to the starvation point, and refused arbitration because he knew the facts to be so and so. Of course he was afraid of the exposures of arbitration. He never reduced the prices of berths or meals, or the whisky he sells on his cars, or let up on the disgraceful tipping system by which the colored porters are enabled to extract their wages from the pockets of those who pay a fixed sum for his car privileges. While Pullman was grinding the last penny he could get from the public, actually making more money than ever because of the hard times, he remorselessly cut wages, but still exacted exorbitant rents and water and gas charges from his men. He made everything in his town, from the church to the saloon, pay a dividend to the Pullman company.

"It seems to us that Pullman stands out as the most magnificent specimen of the great American hog that the world has ever seen. Pity a blacksnake whip could not be in every honest hand to lash his porkship naked across the continent."

Vanity and Crime.

It is an admitted fact that one of the most fruitful sources of crime is the desire for notoriety; and it seems to matter but little to many persons in what shape the attention of the public comes, so long as there is a reasonable amount of it shown to these morbidly developed individuals who violate the laws of the land. They can endure anything better than obscurity, and to be passed by among the rank and file of humanity with merely a glance is an unpardonable insult and injury. This disposition, writes N. S. Stowell, in the New York Ledger, which is often traceable to errors in the early training, is much more common than most people imagine. The child is complimented or praised in its own hearing and, through the weakness and injudicious fondness of some parent or guardian, learns to attack undue importance to itself and its doings. After awhile it grows out of the immediate fostering care of home, and when it comes in contact with the world in the school and among its playmates, it is constantly annoyed and irritated that no one takes any notice of it. Its parents imagine it a morbidly sensitive child, and probably it is, in certain ways; but by their sympathetic attitude and constant endeavor to make things pleasant for it, the difficulty is increased rather than remedied, and the youngster grows up with a firm belief that it is misunderstood, and that the world is in some way at fault on account of it. Such children either become criminals through their unnatural thirst for notoriety, a thirst that discovers a means of relief in the inordinate attention given to unnatural crimes, or else they become utterly demoralized in mind and develop a form of lunacy frequently characterized by great cunning and cruelty. Children should be taught from their earliest years that they are merely atoms in the great mass of humanity, and that while they are of considerable importance to their own family, they must never expect the attention of the community or world until they have in some honorable way earned it. A man who ended his days in a felon's cell once said that he took his first step in crime when his mother became angry with a neighbor for paying no attention to her little son. He hated the woman ever afterward because she almost ignored him and had his vanity fed by injudious maternal chatter mingled with praises of those who were supposed to appreciate the boy and criticisms of those who were said to be either too stupid or too jealous to see or admit his brilliant qualities. It is a fatal mistake when parents allow their children to monopolize the conversation or the attention of guests. It invariably results in spoiling the child's disposition, in filling his mind with exaggerated ideas of his own importance and a jealous craving for notice. Brought up with a mind full of such notions, it is not at all remarkable if he resorts to almost any means by which he can obtain the coveted pleasure of having the eyes of the public turned upon him. Such persons are rarely of great mental caliber, and are frequently almost destitute of high moral sense. Naturally, they may have possessed this, but their training has been such that it not only fails to cultivate these characteristics but tends directly toward destroying what ever is good in the original cast of mind. It is a very serious mistake to make such an ado over violators and violations of law. The latter should be promptly checked and the former punished with severity. But much less public attention should be attracted by both, unless it is intended to increase the crop of criminals or the perpetrators of various acts of evil.

"Flanigan's Ball" with promises to be fulfilled, will be the big hit of the coming season.

THE FIGHT ON SILVER.

Gov. Brown, of Georgia, States the Silver Question in Some Plain Words.

During the congressional campaign in Georgia in 1878, in which the question of gold resumption was a leading one, Gov. Joseph E. Brown, at the request of his constituents, wrote a ringing letter, which the Atlanta Constitution summarizes in a late edition as applicable to the present situation.

Gov. Brown stated that he was opposed to the demonetization of silver and to the immediate forced resumption of gold payments. He believed in both gold and silver as the true basis of our currency, and held that the banks and the government should be required to redeem their bills in gold or silver, or both. It was his opinion that an immediate return to specie payments would put the debtor class entirely at the mercy of the creditor class. It would cause a shrinkage of values and ruin the debtors to require them after a certain day, before the period of inflation was over, to pay in gold the debts contracted on an inflation basis. Such a policy would work general ruin to the debtor class, because it would give those who had hoarded gold an advantage which they would be certain to use in speculation. He referred to the fact that in England, after the Napoleonic wars, there was forced resumption on a particular day. The result was almost universal bankruptcy. He who held a mortgage on his neighbor's land for one-half its value foreclosed and sold it, and there being little gold in the country he got it at his own price. The same result would doubtless follow the resumption act here.

He was most decidedly in favor of repealing the act of 1873 stopping the coinage of the 412½ grain silver dollar and leaving it no longer a legal tender in sums exceeding $5. He would sweep away all legislation against silver, and make both gold and silver a legal tender, as they were before the act. If the output of silver from the mines had increased, the demand for it had also increased. The demonetization of silver in Germany had brought depression and distress upon that country, while France, under bimetallism, was prosperous. He was not afraid that we would be flooded with silver if we had free coinage, because if we had more than we needed the hundreds of millions of people in the silver-using countries of the east would absorb it. And then the governor put these pointed questions:

"But why should the United States, which is now producing more silver than any other nation on earth, seek to demonetize it and to reduce its value, thereby losing the great advantage which she should realize from it in her commerce with the eastern nations in competition with England and Germany, who use the gold standard? Why not hold onto this advantage, and gain a firm foothold on the trade of China and India and the hundreds of millions of population of Asia, who prefer and use the silver standard?"

The repeal of the demonetization act and the restoration of the 412½ grain silver dollar as a legal tender would take from gold the fictitious value that had been given to it by anti-silver legislation, and the two metals would readily adjust their relative value, and silver would not be a depreciated currency, but would be equivalent to gold in its purchasing power. As neither gold nor silver is an irredeemable currency, he did not see any danger of getting too much of it. In our depressed condition the laboring and debtor classes needed more gold and more silver in circulation. To strike down silver would be in the interests of the hoarders of gold and the creditor class. Nor would it be unjust to the bondholders to make silver a legal tender. When the government bonds were issued they were redeemable in legal tender greenbacks. It was the legislation after the war that made the bonds redeemable in coin.

Gov. Brown went on to show that as our population expanded we needed an expansion and not a contraction of the currency. It was unjust to men who had made debts when they had abundant means to pay them to force the resumption of gold payments and contract the currency, thus leaving them unable to meet the demands of their creditors. Such a policy, if continued a few years, would enrich the few and turn the masses into hewers of wood and drawers of water.

A FALSE POSITION.

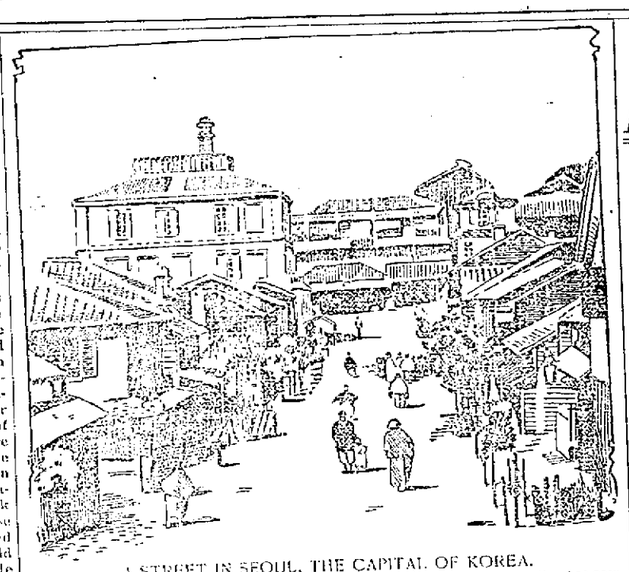
Many Who Discuss the Silver Question Take Erroneous Grounds.

An end should be put to the use of such humbugging phrases as "the parity of the two metals" in the discussion of the silver question. Those who use them advertise their insincerity by refusing to make the experiment of returning to the system under which gold and silver dollars in this country and in France always circulated at par. So long as the mints of France and the United States were open to the free coinage of silver and gold at a fixed ratio gold and silver coins always circulated at par. The fact that, owing to the mistake of the United States in overvaluing silver, legal-tender silver dollars were exported almost as rapidly as they were coined did not disturb the parity of the coins of the two metals in this country. Although a small premium was offered for silver for brokers, gold was anywhere received by merchants at its face value. In France between 1803 and 1873 silver and gold were indifferently coined at the mints and stocks of the coins of both metals were accumulated. This experience ought to teach people the folly of assuming that under a bimetallic system a country would necessarily be compelled to confine itself to the use of one metal. If a country could not retain a stock of the precious metals with a bimetallic system in force, the fact would be explainable in some other manner just as our failure to hold gold under the present system will be explained when it is seen that the effect of the proposed scramble for gold has put the United States a mere laughing stock at the disadvantage and compelled it to suspend its accumulation of the yellow metal.—San Francisco Chronicle.

It Brought Money.

The good advertisement Ireland brought so much money and so many up on the and four of those Russian princes with his famous "In Darkest Russia." The princes stopped here on their way to pay their respects to the World's Fair Director. America World's Fair substitution.

Murray and Murphy [illegible] Murray and Murphy [illegible] Flanigan's Ball.



A STREET IN SEOUL, THE CAPITAL OF KOREA.

The view shows a part of the old native and a glimpse of the foreign quarter. Seoul at present is occupied by Japanese troops, but a large army of Chinese is now on the way to drive out the wide awake intruders.

HABITS OF SOME PRESIDENTS.

Of Recent Years None Save Arthur Paid Attention to Society.

Gen. Grant brought the camp into the white house, says Harper's Magazine. Mr. Hayes had lived at Washington as a representative at a hotel or a boarding-house. Gen. Garfield had settled in the capital in a house of his own, and had enjoyed the kind of social life that may be had anywhere in this country and that runs to literary clubs that are formed to facilitate the escape of unpublished manuscripts. To encourage talent and literary ambition was a great pleasure of the president, whose murder cut short the term that would have been marked with more geniality and agreeable talk than is usual at the white house. Mr. Arthur brought city manners and customs with him. People who did not know him were greatly mistaken in him. There had been a good deal of refinement and elegance in Mr. Arthur's home, and its influence made the white house more of a social center than it had been before or than it has been since. Then came Mr. Harrison who had passed six years in the senate and a Washington boarding-house, and Mr. Cleveland, who went to the capital a bachelor, having lived most of his life in apartments in a Buffalo business block.

None of these men adopted the manners and customs of court life, with the exception of Mr. Arthur, who insisted that those with whom he came in contact should pay his office a respect something more than the formal decent respect of good manners. The rest knew nothing of the rules which Washington society had laid down for its own and their guidance, and which were as conflicting as the various interests that invented and frequently modified them. Moreover, they have seemed to care a good deal less. They or their wives or their secretaries studied up the necessary regulations that govern the intercourse between the head of the nation and the diplomatic representatives of foreign powers. And, although Mr. Jefferson insisted on taking out to dinner what woman he would, regardless of her husband's rank, modern presidents have done their best to observe the proprieties in this respect.

The Last Excursion of the Season to the Sea Shore.

The best time of the year for visiting the seashore is in September; better climate, better fishing and better bathing.

The last excursion of the season over the picturesque C. & O. to Old Point Comfort and Fortress Monroe, Va., will leave Cincinnati September 12th, at 7 a. m., reaching Old Point Comfort at 6 p. m. next day. Round trip from Portsmouth $12.50, good to return within fifteen days. Special train will be composed of Pullman palace sleepers, elegant day coaches with high backed seats and the famous F. F. V. dining car. The excursion will be conducted under the auspices of the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette, a guarantee that only the best people will be met on the trip.

Sleeping car reservations should be made at once.

Address counting rooms Commercial Gazette, Cincinnati, O., or C. B. Ryan, A. G. P. A., C. & O. Ry, Cincinnati.

Siege of Petersburg at Cincinnati.

On Saturday, September 8th, the C. F. & V. will run excursion tickets to Cincinnati at $1.50 for the round trip. Tickets good returning Sunday and Monday following. This is the greatest spectacle production of the age. It exceeds in magnificence and extent all previous efforts in that direction. It is under the management of the Ives Regiment, O. N. G., and other military items of the Gem City. Excursion on all trains Friday and Saturday. Remember the date, only one excursion this season.

Most Delightful Outing of the Season.

The annually conducted tour [illegible] for the Springs, Va., Tuesday, September 18th, for the Springs, Va., Natural Bridge, Luray Caverns, Ride through Shenandoah Valley to Old Point Comfort. Party limited to twenty-five persons. Secure tickets early. Address promptly giving [illegible] C. B. RYAN, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, C. & O. Ry, Cincinnati, O. [illegible]

To Horse Owners.

For putting a horse in the best healthy condition use Dr. Cody's Condition Powders. They tone up the system, stand good on one box of opposition, remove constipation, correct kidney disorders and cure worms, giving new life and vigor to a jaded horse. 25 cents per package. Sold by Fisher & Smith, druggists.

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Democratic State Convention.

HEADQUARTERS DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 15th, 1894.

The Democrats of Ohio are requested to meet in delegate convention in the City of Columbus, Ohio, on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 18th and 19th, 1894, to place in nomination candidates for the following offices, namely:

Secretary of State,
Judge of Supreme Court,
State School Commissioner,
Member Board of Public Works.

The basis of representation to said convention is, one delegate for each 500 or each fraction of 250 or over of the number of votes cast for Grover Cleveland for president in 1892. All the delegates to the state convention shall be individually selected by the several counties and reported to the committee on credentials, as mass delegations will not be recognized.

The Democrats of each and every county are requested to select their local committee and report the same to the Chairman of the State Central Committee on or before Sept. 1st. This report should include the names and P. O. addresses of each precinct and ward Committeeman, and the name and P. O. address of the Chairman and Secretary of the Executive or Campaign Committee for the ensuing year.

In the convention, each county will be entitled to the following representation:

Adams	6	Licking	12
Allen	10	Logan	7
Ashland	6	Lorain	6
Ashtabula	6	Lucas	20
Athens	5	Madison	5
Auglaize	7	Mahoning	13
Belmont	12	Marion	7
Brown	8	Medina	4
Butler	16	Meigs	5
Carroll	3	Mercer	7
Champaign	6	Miami	9
Clark	11	Monroe	8
Clermont	8	Montgomery	28
Clinton	7	Morgan	4
Columbiana	11	Morrow	4
Coshocton	7	Muskingum	12
Crawford	10	Noble	4
Cuyahoga	51	Ottawa	6
Darke	10	Paulding	6
Defiance	7	Perry	7
Delaware	8	Pickaway	9
Erie	8	Pike	4
Fairfield	9	Portage	6
Fayette	4	Preble	8
Franklin	25	Putnam	8
Fulton	4	Richland	11
Gallia	4	Ross	9
Geauga	2	Sandusky	8
Greene	7	Scioto	9
Guernsey	8	Seneca	11
Hamilton	37	Shelby	6
Hancock	10	Stark	20
Hardin	7	Summit	13
Harrison	4	Trumbull	6
Henry	7	Tuscarawas	11
Highland	8	Union	4
Hocking	6	Van Wert	7
Holmes	6	Vinton	3
Huron	7	Warren	8
Jackson	5	Washington	9
Jefferson	7	Wayne	9
Knox	7	Williams	7
Lake	7	Wood	9
Lawrence	7	Wyandot	6
		Total	808

By order of the Democratic State Central Committee.

C. H. CHRIES, Chairman.
W. T. WEAR, Secretary.

Scioto County Democratic Convention

The Democrats of Scioto county are hereby notified to meet in delegate convention in the city of Portsmouth, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1894,

at 10:30 o'clock a. m. (standard time) to select delegates to the State Convention and to nominate candidates for the following county offices:

Sheriff,
Recorder,
Commissioner,
Infirmary Director,
Coroner.

The townships and voting precincts outside of the city of Portsmouth will hold their primaries to select delegates to said convention on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1894,

between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock p. m. (standard time) and wards and precincts in the city between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock p. m. (standard time).

The townships and wards will be entitled to one delegate for every twenty-five votes or each fraction of thirteen or over of the number of votes cast for Grover Cleveland for president in 1892:

Bloom	7	Rush	3
Brush Creek	7	Union	6
Clay	6	Valley	4
Green	7	Vinton	4
Harrison	7	Washington	4
Jefferson	4	Portsmouth	
Madison	4	1st Ward	8
Morgan	4	2nd Ward	8
Nile Creek	4	3rd Ward	6
Nile, Lower	4	4th Ward	7
Porter, [illegible]	4	5th Ward	9
Porter, Waverley	4	6th Ward, Pt 1	3
Raden	4	6th Ward, Pt 2	3

F. M. KIRKER, Secretary. W. B. WILLIAMS, Chairman.

Sale of Real Estate.

ON Wednesday, September 12, 1894, at 1 p. m., at the door of the court house, I will offer the residence property formerly owned by Nancy Noel. The lot is 42 feet front on the north side of Eighth street, by 125 feet deep, and just west of Chillicothe. Appraised at $1,800, and must sell for at least two thirds of the appraisement. For further particulars call on

BANNON & BANNON, Attorneys.

Notice of Appointment.

THE undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as trustee for the creditors of the Citizens Savings Bank of Portsmouth, Ohio, by the probate court of Scioto county, Ohio.

All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

FRANK B. KEHOE,
Portsmouth, Ohio.

September 4, 1894.

GEO. PFEIFFER.

UNDERTAKER.

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Woman's Solid Leather Shoes go at 85c, 95c and $1.00.
Woman's Fine Dongola Shoes go at $1.25
Children's School Shoes go at 50c, 65c, and 75c.
Misses' Champion Button, Tip, go at $1.00.
Men's Fine Dress Shoes go at 98c.
Men's Working Shoes go at 97c.
Boys' Working Shoes go at 74c.
Infants' Shoes, Groove, go at 22c; M.S., 35c; Tip, 40c.

☞We are ready to help you to buy a Sewing Machine. Price, $22.50. The CHALLENGE is a New High Arm Machine, fitted with the new steel Eagle foot set of attachments, automatic bobin winder, self-threading cylinder shuttle, self-setting needle. We warrant them to endure the natural wear and tear of family use for five years. We guarantee them equal to any machine in the market, regardless of name or price.

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That you had better look at our can't-be-beat prices, if you care anything for money.

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Boys' Flannelette Shirts, 17c and 19c.
Boys' Waists, 19c and 20c.
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Boys' Pants and Suits at Cut Prices.
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A Few World Beaters in Our Stationery Department.

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Twenty-five Envelopes for 4c.
Twenty-five Envelopes for 5c.
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Twenty-four Sh'ts Note Paper, gilt edge, 5c
Thirty Sh'ts Note Paper, 5c.
Common Cedar Lead Pencils, 4c doz.
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OBITUARY.

MRS. ELLEN MIDDAUGH.

Mrs. Ellen Middaugh, a very estimable old lady, of Limeville, Ky., died Sunday, September 2, 1894, of heart trouble. She had been a sufferer from that disease for a number of years, during which time she has been lovingly cared for by her children, especially Mrs. Lizzie Horn, with whom she had resided since the death of her last husband.

The deceased was born in Mason county, March 29, 1810, being 84 years, 5 months and 3 days of age at the time of her death.

Her maiden name was Glover. In April, 1827, she was married to Isaac Duvall, a man of rare business qualifications. Four children blessed their home: Mrs. Mary Cameron, of Limeville; Mrs. Martha O'Neill, of Catlettsburg; John and Mrs. Sarah Ratcliff, now deceased.

Mr. Duvall, died September 10, 1838, and in 1842 Mrs. Duvall was married to James Middaugh, a prominent farmer of Greenup county, three children being born unto them. James, now deceased, Mrs. Susan Morgan and Mrs. Lizzie Horn, both of Limeville. James Middaugh, died September 26, 1866, and since that time Mrs. Middaugh has made her home among her children.

She was a kind, affectionate, loving mother and neighbor, and all hearts are made sad when we realize she is gone from our midst forever. She was a devout member of the Christian church.

Her remains were taken to Siloam for interment, followed by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives. The funeral services (by request) were ably conducted by Rev. Glover, nephew of the deceased. The friends have the sympathy of all.

A precious one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is still.
A place is vacant in our home,
Which never can be filled.

A FRIEND.

MRS. HARRIET N. SINGER.

Died, at her residence 320 N. State street, Chicago, Ill., September 1, 1894. The deceased formerly lived at Wheelersburg. Many doubtless will remember her. She was the eldest sister of B. R. Miles, and the mother of the late Captain Geo. Singer, of the 33rd O. V. I. regiment.

The deceased went to bed Friday evening in apparently her usual good health. About 11 o'clock her son, Chandler Singer, heard her make a noise as if in distress, and called, but no answer. He immediately went to her, and found her unconscious and not able to speak, and ran for a doctor. The doctor came and said it was a paralytic stroke, and she passed away at 3 o'clock a. m.

She was laid away in Rose Hill cemetery, Monday, at 11 o'clock a. m. Her only brother and sister were present. One by one we are passing over.

AS OLD AS NOAH

Were Those Blade Oligo-Nunk Excursionist Coaches—A Spicy Letter.

This morning's mail brought us the following communication from one of the persons who "took in" the magnificent Blade excursion to Oligo-Nunk, and was in turn "taken in" by the machinations of Comrade Simmons. We suspect that Mr. Simmons will lose "caste" and standing in his church, as he stands convicted of having deceived the good people of the city. The letter is as follows:

The Blade excursion to Oligo-Nunk was to have been a first class affair in every respect, and a large crowd was expected to take it in. But when the noses were counted and the tickets were taken up, it was found the large crowd consisted of an even dozen, 5 ladies and seven gentlemen.

"The first class accommodation" consisted of what was probably one of the first passenger coaches that ever was built and had never been swept or cleaned out since it was put on the road.

Oligo-Nunk was all it was represented to be, a first class place to go to for a day or a few days' outing, and the pleasure enjoyed at the caves amply repaid the excursionists for their discomfort in getting there. When the Blade has another excursion it will be well for those proposing to take it in to insist that they be furnished a car that has been swept out at least once or twice since water, soap and brooms have been in common use as cleansing agents.

Ladies intending to go to Oligo-Nunk should not forget to take rubbers and a change of dress with them.

ONE OF THE DOZEN.

"Finnigan's Ball."

One of the brightest comedy hits of the season will be offered at the Grand by Murray and Mack assisted by their lively and competent associates, Thursday September 13.

It is a play with very little plot and is not calculated to one, as it is of the roaring farce order with a great amount of nonsense in it and plenty of Irish humor. From the time the curtain goes up until the close of the last act, laughter is excited by the clever work of the actors, and the amusing situations of the piece. There is not a vulgar feature in the show and its merit does not depend on vulgarity to create amusement as many farce comedies do.

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LUCAS COUNTY. }

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FRANK J. CHENEY.

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THE CARDINAL'S CLOSE CALL.

His Keen Sense of Smell Once Saved Him from Being Poisoned.

Years have rolled by since, but the story of an almost fatal accident to Cardinal Gibbons has lost none of its interest through not having been previously told, says the Philadelphia Call. Just before he rose to give the impassioned reading of his poem, "King Lear," at the anniversary dinner of the Sons of St. George, Prof. H. H. Hay, of Girard college, told of the happening as it had been related to him while he was traveling in Europe by a priest acquainted with the circumstances.

"While the cardinal, who was then an archbishop," said Prof. Hay, "was traveling across the Atlantic some years ago he complained one afternoon that he wasn't feeling very well, but was told by the ship's surgeon to await medical treatment until the following day, when something would be done for him if his sickness continued. On the day following the steward of the steamer was duly sent with a remedy for the eminent prelate. As he was about to place the glass containing the draught to his lips the archbishop was almost overcome by a strange and pungent odor. He hesitated a moment and lowered the vessel containing the liquid until he recovered from the effect of the smell. Glancing incidentally at the bottle in the steward's hand he noticed the word 'poison' on a label, and, not without a little alarm, asked the man if he knew what he was offering. The steward replied that he had done as was directed by the doctor. Alarmed, the archbishop sent post haste to the medical man to make sure of what was being tendered him. This time it was the surgeon who had occasion to manifest surprise. He hurried to his distinguished patient's side and informed the archbishop that the glass offered him contained enough deadly poison to kill any two men."

PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

Illinois Comes Third with Forty-Two Great Book Collections.

Massachusetts is far and away ahead of all other states in the supply of reading for the people, says the Troy (N. Y.) Times. Its 212 free public libraries have a total of 2,700,000 volumes, and this gives 1,233 volumes for each 1,000 of the population. The nearest rival to Massachusetts is New Hampshire, with forty-two libraries containing 175,000 volumes, being 404 books per 1,000 of the people. Third in rank is the great state of Illinois, with forty-two libraries, the same in number as the little state of the White mountains, but it has only 130 volumes to each 1,000 people. The next four in their order are Michigan, Rhode Island, New York and Indiana. This places our state sixth in rank, while it holds first place in population, wealth and educational opportunities.

The millionaire givers to public libraries have been few up to date. According to Mr. Fletcher's book they do not number more than seven. They are: Chicago, John Crerar, $3,000,000; W. N. Newberry, $2,000,000; New York, the Astors, $2,000,000; Baltimore, George Peabody, $1,400,000; Enoch Pratt, $1,225,000; Philadelphia, Dr. James Rush, $1,500,000; Pittsburgh, Andrew Carnegie, $1,000,000. Look over this list and compare it with the scores of philanthropists who have given their millions to found colleges, universities and even special schools, and it looks infinitesimally small. The rich men have not yet in large numbers risen to a true appreciation of the value to society and to civil affairs of these colleges of the people. We have more colleges and universities than can be supported without frequent endowments, scholarships and other gifts. But the library once established and endowed sustains itself, and is never lacking in patronage.

MONEY GIVES SOCIAL TONE.

The Best Deportment Found Among Those Accustomed to Wealth.

Long-inherited wealth, together with the power it brings, creates a kind of social climate in which most of the qualities which give charm to social intercourse ripen in a way that is not possible elsewhere and acquire more delicate flavors, says an article in the North American Review.

This is not indeed most true, but true most obviously with regard to charm of manner; for manner, though its raw material is always personal temperament, is in its finished state the result of social circumstances and bears something the same relation to them that its scent does to a flower; and, though the greatest charm of manner is a personal gift, like genius, and though persons who have enjoyed the same social advantages possess it no doubt in very different degrees, it is only in the best society that its greatest and finest charm is, as a rule, possible; and the manner of any average man or woman brought up in such society is, undoubtedly, with few exceptions, more agreeable than it would have been had the person in question been brought up in other circumstances.

This will, perhaps, be more readily understood when a fact is mentioned which, though absolutely true, is the exact reverse of what many people imagine, and that is that manner in the best society is distinguished before all things by its simplicity and absence of affectation—a simplicity which is mainly due to that command of life of which I have already spoken and the fact that the conventions which those in question obey are conventions which are made or sanctioned by themselves and themselves only. It is only in the best society that this complete simplicity is to be found combined with the highest polish.

A Rabbit Department.

People who object to a multiplicity of departments in the government, says the New York Tribune, should be thankful that they do not live in New Zealand, where, in addition to the usual state divisions, there is the rabbit department, which is the most important of the lot. It has the organization and equipment of forces and the planning of campaigns against the rabbits, which, if not kept under control, would overrun and devastate the south island. The need of this department is shown by the fact in the last five years about sixty-four million rabbit skins have been exported, and it is estimated that nearly three hundred million animals were killed to obtain that number of skins. In spite of this wholesale slaughter the number of bunnies is constantly increasing, and the handling of the numerous multitude of animals is an undertaking requiring both judgment and force.

THE REASON WHY.

LUNAR halos are sometimes large and sometimes small, because they are formed at different heights in the air.

THE glow-worm has a brush attached to its tail, because it is necessary to show its light that the back be kept clean.

DECAYING wood and putrefying fish look luminous in the dark, because they are really undergoing a slow combustion.

IRON bedsteads are safe during a thunderstorm, because, being good conductors, they keep the electricity from the body.

SILVER tarnishes when exposed to the light, because of the actinic or chemical property possessed by the rays of the sun.

A BURNING gas jet is unhealthy in a bed chamber, because one gas light gives out as much carbonic acid gas as two sleepers.

WHITE clothing is cool, because it reflects the heat of the sun; black clothing is warm, because it absorbs both heat and light.

THE eyeball is white because the blood vessels that feed its substance are so small that they do not admit the red corpuscles.

THE flesh under the nails looks red, because the nails are almost transparent, and thus the color of the tissue beneath is visible.

LIGHTNING is destructive because of its enormous power. A flash of lightning has been calculated to equal twelve thousand horse-power.

THE NEWFOUNDLAND DOG.

He Is the Noblest Species of the Whole Canine Race.

The Newfoundland dog takes his name from the island where he is supposed to have originated. Many, however, believe that the Norsemen, who discovered America in the year 1000, introduced this dog in Newfoundland. He is by some classified among the wolf-dogs, while others, on account of his large pendulous ears, say that he should not belong to this family, but that he and the St. Bernards should occupy a place by themselves.

The Newfoundland, says Harper's Young People, since his introduction in England, has improved in appearance, and is now larger and heavier. In Newfoundland and Labrador these dogs are used as beasts of burden, drawing considerable loads of wood and provisions on sledges. Their feet are partially webbed, and therefore they are most excellent water dogs. The scent is not strong, and as the dog is slow and clumsy, he is not valuable to the hunter, except as a retriever when speed is not required.

In the island of Newfoundland this dog is almost totally black, but the English varieties are usually black and white. As a watch-dog the Newfoundland is only second to the mastiff. He is amiable to children and small dogs. Kept in confinement he often gets cross and ill-tempered, and flies at those for whom he has previously shown the greatest regard.

Where a dog cannot be allowed to run, and must be chained up, the Newfoundland should not be kept. This dog is a great life-saver, and by instinct will jump into the water to save even an enemy from drowning.

Exciting Dance of the Potlach.

"One of the most exciting scenes I ever witnessed was an Alaskan potlach," said A. L. Henry to a Cincinnati Enquirer man. "The Indians prepare for them for months in advance, and usually fast for a few weeks in order to enjoy the occasion to the utmost. The potlach is a festival given by the chief, not only to the members of his own tribe, but to the neighboring tribes as well. The festivities consist of dancing, singing and games, while beeves are kept constantly roasting, it being a perpetual barbecue for thirty days. The dancing never ceases, and prizes are usually awarded to the person who remains on the ground longest. It is not infrequent for a brave to dance unceasingly for twenty to thirty hours. At one given a short time ago by Chief Strualeeps at least fifteen thousand dollars was expended, and in a private letter from a friend there I learned that another chief is soon to give one intended to eclipse that."

England's State Plate.

England's collection of plate for use at state occasions at Windsor castle is something fabulous in value. Its display surprised even Russia's crown prince himself. It is generally reckoned to be worth about £2,000,000, and it is no unusual thing at a state banquet at the castle to have plate to the value of half a million in the room. There are two state dinner services, one of gold and one of silver. The gold service was purchased by George IV., and will dine 120 persons. The plates alone of this service cost over £12,000. On state occasions there are usually placed on the dining table some very beautiful gold flagons, captured from the Spanish Armada, which are now, of course, of priceless value, while the great silver wine cooler, made for George IV., and weighing 7,000 ounces, always adorns one corner of the apartment. As sideboard ornaments there are pretty trifles in the way of a peacock of precious stones, valued at £30,000, and a tiger's head from India with a solid ingot of gold for its tongue and diamond teeth.

Magnetized Side Arms.

A peculiar result of the use of the dynamo on board English warships has been noticed. The marines, when in the discharge of their duty around the dynamo, have worn side arms. These become magnetized, and when the marine as a sentry passed the compass, that also became charged. The consequence has been to forbid the wearing of side arms near the dynamo.

A Kansas Idea.

Free coinage of silver and gold, and a law authorizing banks to issue paper money on a coin basis of ultimate redemption will solve the vexed question, but no expansion of the circulating medium to meet the constantly expanding trade and business of the country means stagnation, depreciation of everything but money and bankruptcy and ruin to all but money changers.—Cor. Topeka Capital.

Got Left.

Col. Chandler went before the democrats of the Fifth Georgia district as a candidate for congress declaring that he would not favor the coinage of silver on any ratio until the price of silver had [illegible] got beaten by [illegible] 1,600 in Atlanta. Col. Livingston is for the remonetization of silver.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

A vicious bulldog chewed off John Burton's nose, at Akron, O.

Gov. McKinley, of Ohio, arrived in Boston Thursday, on his way to Maine to take part in the Reed campaign.

The Chinese government is said, through its officials in Europe, to be attempting to get forty military and naval officers to serve in the present war.

The umbrella trust, which went into the hands of a receiver a couple of months ago, will now pay its list of creditors at the rate of 100 cents on the dollar.

SINCE the outbreak of hostilities between China and Japan the Chinese populations in the ports of Yokohama and Kobe have been reduced by about two thousand.

It is expected that the Colorado republicans will place Charles S. Thomas at the head of their ticket, and that the democrats will support the balance of the republican ticket. Anything to beat Waite will be resorted to.

To prevent the exportation of rice, wheat and other food supplies, the Chinese have established a system of inspection of all vessels coming down the rivers from the interior. Whenever such supplies are found they are seized.

A suit to foreclose a $25,000 mortgage on the Grand Central hotel, of Columbus, O., was instituted at Columbus Thursday. The mortgage was given by Col. Andrew Schwartz, proprietor of the hotel in 1889, to John Ellis, of New York.

The pope is preparing an encyclical letter addressed to the bishops and people of the United States. The letter will announce the absolute supremacy of the apostolic delegate in church matters in the United States, with the simple right of appeal to the pope.

James Coleman Drayton has instituted proceedings to secure a divorce from his wife, Charlotte Augusta Drayton, a daughter of Wm. Astor, of the family of which John Jacob Astor was the founder. Mr. Drayton seeks a legal separation upon the statutory grounds.

The conference between the committees representing the American Flint Glass Workers' union and the Western Flint Bottle Manufacturers' association, which has been in session in Pittsburgh, ended without having reached an agreement on the wage scale for the fire of 1894-95.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 6.

FLOUR—Spring patent, $3.25@3.85; do fancy at $2.75@2.90; do family at $2.50@2.65. Winter patent quotable at $2.55@2.90, fancy at $2.25@2.40 and family at $2.00@2.10; extra at $1.85@1.95; low grades at $1.70@1.80.

WHEAT—Receipts are light and the market is quiet, but steady. Sales of No. 2 red, track, at 51c.

CORN—No. 2 white, track, 58c; mixed ear, track, 56c; yellow ear, track, 57c; No. 2 mixed, track, 56½c.

OATS—No. 2 mixed, track, 30½c; No. 3 do, at 29c; No. 3 white, track, 31½c.

CATTLE—Heavy steers, fair to good, $3.75@4.00; select butcher, $3.85@4.25; fair to good, $3.00@3.75; common to ordinary, $2.00@2.75. Heifers: Good to choice, $3.25@3.85; fair to medium, $2.25@3.00.

CALVES—Common and large, $2.25@4.50; fair to good light, $4.75@5.75; extra, $6.00.

HOGS—Select butcher, $6.15@6.25; packing, $5.75@6.10, common and rough, $4.75@5.70; light shippers, $5.30@5.90; common to good pigs, $4.25@5.50; scalawags and culls, $3.50@4.80.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep: Top yearlings and wethers, $3.00@3.50; good to choice ewes and wethers mixed, $2.50@3.00; common to fair, $1.00@2.25. Lambs: Extra, $4.60@4.75; good to choice, $4.00@4.50; common to fair, $2.00@3.75; culls, $1.50@1.75.

WOOL—Unwashed: Fine merino, per lb, 8@10c; quarter blood clothing, 12@13c; medium delaine and clothing, 13@14c; coarse, 11c; medium combing, 13@14c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb, 10@12c; medium clothing, 15@16c; delaine fleece, 15@16c; long combing, 15@16c; quarter blood and low, 15@16c; common coarse, 16@17c; tub-washed, choice, 19@20c; tub-washed, average, 18c.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 6.

WHEAT—No. 2 red spot and September, 55⅜@55½c; October, 55¾@56¼c; December, 58¼@58⅜c; May, 61@61¼c.

CORN—Spot and September, 59½c bid; year 56½c bid.

OATS—No. 2 white western, 35@36c; No. 2 mixed do, 33@31c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.

RYE—Western, 18@57c.

WHEAT—No. 2 red store and elevator, 58½@58⅜c; afloat, 57½c; f. o. b., 59@59¼c; ungraded red, 53@59c.

CORN—No. 2, 65c elevator; 65½c afloat.

OATS—No. 2 34@34½c; No. 2 white 35½@36c; No. 2 Chicago, 34½c; No. 3 white, 33c; No. 3 white, 37c; mixed western, 34@35c; white do, 38@41c; white state, 36@41c.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 6.

WHEAT—No. 2 red cash and September, 51c; October, 51½@51⅞c; December, 56½c; May, 62c. No. 3 red cash, 52½c; No. 2 white cash, 55c.

CORN—No. 2 mixed cash, 55½c; No. 2 yellow cash, 56½c.

OATS—No 2 white cash, 32½c.

RYE—Market firm; No. 2 cash, 47½c.

CLOVER—October, $5.25; November, $5.35 asked.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 6.

CATTLE—Prime, $5.00@5.10; good, $4.10@4.50; good butchers', $3.60@4.00; rough fat, $2.75@3.10; fair light steers, $2.20@3.00; good fat cows and heifers, $2.10@3.10.

HOGS—Philadelphias, $6.40@6.50; best Yorkers and mixed, $6.20@6.30; common to fair Yorkers, $5.70@6.10; pigs, $5.25@5.60; good sows, $5.25@5.90.

SHEEP—Extra, $3.00@3.25; good, $2.10@2.40; fair, $1.50@1.80; common, 50c@$1.00; yearlings, $1.50@3.50; lambs, $2.00@3.75.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 6.

CATTLE—Good cows and heifers, $2.25@2.00; fat steers $4.50@5.15; veals lower, good, $5.50@6.00.

HOGS—Good to choice corn-fed Yorkers, $6.15@6.25; grassers and Michigans, $5.75@6.00; good to choice mediums and mixed, $6.25@6.40; choice heavy, $6.40@6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Best western lambs $3.50@4.00; fair to good, $3.75@4.10; culls and common, $2.25@2.50; good to choice mixed sheep, $2.50@3.15; common to good, $2.25@2.75; extra export wethers, $2.75@4.95; export ewes, $2.25@3.05.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.

Cash quotations: Flour steady and unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 54@55½c; No. 3 spring wheat, nominal; No. 2 red, 54½c; No. 2 corn, 56½c; No. 3 yellow corn, 57½c; No. 2 oats, 30½c; No. 2 white, 32½@32¾c; No. 3 white, 32½@32¾c; No. 2 rye, 47c; No. 2 barley, 56@57½c; No. 3 [illegible].

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 6.

CATTLE—Good to choice shipping and export steers $4.75@5.25; medium to good shipping steers, $3.75@4.50.

HOGS—Good to choice medium and heavy, $5.75@6.10; mixed and heavy packing, $5.90@6.15; good to choice light weights, $6.00@6.10; common light weights, $4.75@6.00; pigs, $5.00@5.75; roughs, $5.00@5.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Choice to extra lambs, $3.75@4.00; common to good lambs, $2.50@3.50; good to choice sheep, $1.50@2.25; common sheep, $1.00@1.25.

Irving W. Larimore, physical director of Y. M. C. A., Des Moines, Iowa, says he can conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm to athletes, gymnasts, bicyclists, foot ball players and the profession in general for bruises, sprains and dislocations; also for soreness and stiffness of the muscles. When applied before the parts become swollen it will effect a cure in one half the time usually required. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

The TIMES leads them all.

LITERARY NOTES.

ONLY one of George Meredith's books has thus far been translated into a foreign language. This is "The Ordeal of Richard Feverel," which has appeared in Italian.

A NOVEL series which is to be brought out in London will be called the "Pioneer," and will be concerned, it is said, "with the development of the New Woman." The title of the first story will be "Joanna Traill, Spinster."

MR. STANLEY J. WEYMAN has completed a series of twelve stories, all dealing with the period of Henry of Navarre. They are to be called "From the Diary of a Minister," and will be published in the English Illustrated Magazine.

A NEW monthly publication, Science Progress, has made its appearance in London. From the names of the editor's counselors, announced on the title page, and from the first table of contents, it is evident that the magazine will seek to cover the most advanced phases of investigation in chemistry, geology, zoology, botany and other physical sciences.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charles L. Kahler, a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had bad colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest drug store. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

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10:55 am—The Kenova and Chicago Express—Arrives Kenova 12 25 noon. Connect with C. & O. at Kenova for Huntington, Charleston, and all points East. Pullman Sleeper, Chicago to Kenova.

3:47 pm—Local Accommodation—Arrives Kenova 5 20 pm, makes all stops. No connection beyond Kenova.

8:50 pm—Norfolk Express—For Bluefield, Radford, Roanoke, Norfolk and all points on Main Line. Pullman Buffet Sleeper Columbus to Roanoke.

WEST BOUND.

5:15 am—Norfolk Express—Arrives at Columbus 8 30 am. Pullman Buffet car, Roanoke to Columbus. Arrives Chicago 7 55 pm, via Hocking Valley and C. & E. Rys.

10:28 am—Local Accommodation—Arrives Columbus 2 20 pm, makes all stops.

4:47 pm—Kenova and Chicago Express—From Bluefield, Pocahontas and points on Kenova Division. Arrives Columbus 8 10 p. Pullman Sleeper Kenova to Chicago via Hocking Valley and Erie railroads.

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We Are Now Prepared to Offer the People of Portsmouth and Surrounding Country Great Bargains on Boots and Shoes!

MEN'S SHOES.

The Shoes we sell for 99 cents can't be bought for less than		$1.50
12 styles in Lace and Congress worth $2	Our price	1.29
Our $1.39 Shoe is a record breaker and fully worth		2.25
The Best $2.50 Shoe in the state	We sell for	1.49
We will give you Shoes for $1.69 that can't be seen elsewhere for less than		2.75
Cork Sole Shoes for $1.69 that would be a bargain for		2.75
Cork Sole Shoes that can't be seen elsewhere for less than $3.50	Our price	1.99
Working Shoes that are worth $1.50	Our price	0.99
Milwaukee Grain Shoes for 89 cents that are worth		1.50

Our Prices on Boots:

$3.50 French Calf Skin Boots for		$1.99
The Best $5 Boots in the state	We sell for	2.99
Kip Boots, with Tap Sole, worth $2.50	Our price	1.49
Full Stock Boots, with Tap Sole, worth $3.25	Our price	1.89

Those who wear Boots should look our stock over. We are positive they will save money.

The Bargains Shown Here Can Only be Obtained of the Sample Shoe Company, at 517 Chillicothe Street.

WE ARE HERE TO PLEASE THE PEOPLE AND WE DON'T CONSIDER IT ANY trouble to show you our goods. *You receive courteous treatment whether you buy or not!* To read our advertisements means to you a direct way how to save money when buying shoes. We always do as we advertise and you will not be misled when you trade with us. A call will convince you that we are doing business on the square.

Every Pair of Shoes that Leaves our Store Carries Our Guarantee With Them! All Our Boots and Shoes to be as Represented or No Sale!

LADIES' SHOES.

Spring Heels worth $1.50	Our price	$0.99
The Best 99 cent Shoe in this city	Fully worth	1.50
Our Custom Made Shoes—the Greatest Bargain in the state for		$1.49
Shoes that are worth $2.25	We sell for	1.19
20 Styles of Shoes for $1.29 that are worth		2.50
Glove Grain Shoes that you can't buy elsewhere for less than $1.25 to $1.50	Our price	0.99
They can be had in Lace or Button.		
Pebble Grain worth $1.25 to $1.50	Our price	0.99

We sell Shoes for 79 cents that other merchants ask $1.25 for. They are in Lace only.

Misses' Shoes from 49 cents up to the very finest at prices below competition.

We received Two Cases of Shoes that the manufacturers sold to merchants for $1.40. We will sell them for 99 cents a pair. To buy a pair of these shoes from us means a saving to you of 75 cents.

Baby Shoes from 12 cents up. Our stock of Boys' Shoes is replete with Great Bargains, and we can fit out the majority of boys for a very little money.

Remember we are the Leading Shoers and can furnish you Reliable Shoes at One-half price.

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THE OTHER HALF.

A Story of Life Among the Low by One of Them.

Mrs. Aaron Thomas nee Ellen Bragg Complains of Her Colored Husband—She Says There Are Dozens of Such Liasons in Her Neighborhood.

How true it is that one half the world knows nothing about how the other half lives. That class of citizens with even a reasonably correct conception of virtue and morality and a passably high standard of life cannot know the depths of degradation to which their neighbors—humans—can sink. The more correct would be exceedingly incredulous in the face of unmasked facts and would be slow to credit the evidences of their own senses. Yet there are unblushing confessions or acknowledgments in the several courts of the city almost every day that would strike amazement in the hearts of the uninitiated and scarcely be believed.

There was one such story of life among the lowly in mayor's court this morning. About a week ago Aaron Thomas, a colored bartender, and Ellen Bragg, a white woman probably 55 years of age, were married by 'Squire Shakespeare. The woman had sworn out a warrant for Thomas' arrest on the charge of bastardy, and they finally concluded to marry and settle the case. This morning the woman called at the mayor's office and wanted a warrant for her husband's arrest on the charge of assault and battery. She told a story of his brutal treatment, but it was not credited by the officials who have learned to make the proper discount on all such recitals. She was informed that she had been previously warned of her promiscuous relations with colored men and others. "Yes, I know I made a mistake," was her laughing reply. She would add by way of palliation or defence—"There's a dozen, yes more than that many white women living with colored men out my way. It's scandalous, I know." She acknowledged her liason with others, and said without a blush of shame, that her daughter was living similarly with some brute creature. She said she was forced to marry Thomas, and if God would forgive her, she would never be caught that way again, but her expression belied the sincerity of her confession or repentance. She said in reply to a question that she did not know her age, but she is apparently 50 or 55. She was advised to keep away from her husband unless they could live together peacefully, which is not at all probable.

THE ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE.

Agents of the Society to Take Possession of the City Sunday.

The city will be in possession of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League next Sunday so to speak, agents of that organization holding four services during the day. There will be two speakers present—Henry B. White, of Toledo, and a Mr. Dinwiddie of Columbus. Services will be held in the morning at the Second Presbyterian church and the Bigelow church, and in the evening at the First Presbyterian and the Sixth street churches. The celebrated quartette from the Ohio Wesleyan University will be present at each service, opening in one and closing the other.

COLLECTOR MCMILLAN

Breaks Another Promise to Pike County Democrats.

Pike county Democrats have another grievance laid up against Revenue Collector Sam McMillan. That gentleman lately sent Steve Wangler, a Jackson man, over to Waverly to act as gauger, this, in the face of the fact that the place had been promised to a Pike county man. In the privacy of little soul McMillan has a great big spite nurtured up against Pike county and never loses an opportunity to cast a slur on its rock-ribbed Democracy. The day of the man in public life who breaks promises is past and Collector McMillan will some day, we hope, realize this fact.

Reception to Gen. John B. Gordon.

The Odd Fellows are making arrangements to give Gen. John B. Gordon a royal reception. He will be serenaded by one of the city bands, and will be escorted to the hall by the Uniformed Rank.

See Murray and Mack.

In the New Finnigan's Ball at the Grand next Thursday evening September 1[illegible].

AN EXPLANATION.

Mr. Atkins Explains the Why and Wherefore of His Arrest Before 'Squire Foster.

Yesterday's DAILY TIMES contained the notice of the commitment of F. C. Atkins, of Washington township, to the county jail from 'Squire J. R. Foster's court, on the charge of assaulting one Eliza Burns. In this case, as in many others, there are two sides to the story. Mr. Atkins, who is a well known dealer in wood and a very respectable citizen, easily secured bond when he was brought to the city, Isaac Woodruff going his surety. This morning Mr. Atkins called at the TIMES office and in justice to him his side of the story is published. It seems that Eliza Burns had been living on some of Mr. Atkins' land by his permission, having erected a small cabin. She became very meddlesome and some difficulty ensued between herself and Mr. Atkins, in the course of which she called him some very vile names. His patience becoming exhausted, Atkins called her a name which was not complimentary, to say the least, and was thereupon arrested on the charge of assault. When the case came up the defendant was refused by 'Squire Foster, so he claims, the privilege of hunting a bondsman, although he assured the 'squire that he could readily get a bondsman if he would give him a little time. This fact must have been known to 'Squire Foster. But a little brief authority sometimes makes men mad and this probably is the case with the 'squire. So Atkins' request was refused and he was ordered sent to jail. He also claims that he was mistreated by Constable Mershon who had him in charge. If the statements made by Mr. Atkins are true, 'Squire Foster and his satellites should be brought to time.

SIXTEENTH PLACE

Was What Trimmer Got Out of the Chillicothe Road Race.

Trimmer did not make as good a showing in the Chillicothe wheelman's road race yesterday as was expected of him. Starting with a two-minute handicap he got sixteenth place, there being over fifty-five starters. The race was started promptly at 3 o'clock standard time, and was run over a course of sixteen miles. The time prize was won by Keyser, of Dayton, in forty minutes, fifty-three seconds, showing that a rattling pace was set. Riders were present from all over the state.

A FAREWELL PARTY

In Honor of Miss Effie Fowler, Who Leaves Today for Delaware to Attend School.

Mrs. William H. Fowler entertained at her home on West Sixth street Thursday evening, in honor of her daughter, Miss Effie, who left this morning for Delaware, where she will attend the Ladies' Seminary the coming school year. About forty young people, including her school friends and associates at the Bigelow M. E. church, were present and enjoyed a delightful evening of informal sociabilities. Elegant refreshments were served in the dining room, which was beautifully decorated.

Hotel Register.

ELK—Dr. J. M. Dailey, Augusta, Ark.; Thomas E. Turner, Cincinnati; John Meyers, Maysville, Ky.; J. H. Johnson, Cincinnati; J. McCabe, Cincinnati.

BIGGS—W. L. Jenckes, Cincinnati; T. E. Embelton, Crown Hill, W. Va.; Samuel Beamer, Hamden; Nelle Harris, Columbus; I. M. Peare, Cincinnati; J. H. Greenwold, Cleveland; J. H. Beamer, Grand Rapids; Jules C. Holmes, Charleston, W. Va.; E. E. Havill, Cincinnati; E. Highland, Chas. Faris, Marietta; E. W. Leslie, Philadelphia; J. L. Bush, Hamilton; R. M. Sham, Parkersburg; A. E. Diersier, Canton.

LEGLER—J. W. Newman, G. M. Wikoff, Rarden; J. B. Scelly, Lucasville.

PORTSMOUTH—W. H. Jaquis, John Jaquis, Mathies Jaquis, Covington, Ky.; H. C. Cock, Cincinnati, J. A. Salom, Washington D. C.; D. B. Eckers, Springfield.

ARLINGTON—R. K. Hooper, Waverly, A. J. Holmes, Cincinnati.

To Be C. & O. Agent at Melbourne.

R. W. Hughes, of Mauds, O., is the guest of his brother, L. E. Hughes, of the C. & O., for a few days. He has secured a position as agent of the C. & O. at Melbourne, Ky., and will enter upon the discharge of his duties in a few days.

On an Inspection Tour.

A special train carrying the officials of the N. & W. R. R. Co., passed through the city this afternoon about 2 o'clock on an inspection tour. The party came through from Norfolk and were bound for Columbus.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. L. Bloom, of Gallia street, is recovering from a weeks' illness.

George Kah left this morning for a short visit to Sidney and Lima.

Miss Rose Klink, of Cincinnati, is the guest of relatives in the city.

Mrs. John Hurd and daughter went to Pittsburg, via the N. & W. today.

Miss Grace Finch left yesterday for Columbus, where she will make her home with her mother.

Miss Anna Helfenstein, living at Lloyd's, on Gallia street, goes to Waverly today to visit her parents.

G. H. Hammond, traveling freight agent for the N. & W., is in the city today.

Mrs. J. C. Hibbs went to Gallipolis this afternoon, via the C. & O. to visit friends.

Dr. C. P. Dennis returned home today from an extended trip through the Great Lakes.

Ed. Dillon went to Ashland this morning on business for the Wait cabinet works.

Misses Lucy Kah and Mary Roth will spend next week with Buena Vista friends.

Mrs. John Moeller and daughter Katie have returned from a visit with Dayton friends.

Misses Ella and Laura Chick returned today from a two weeks' visit with Ironton friends.

Miss Anna Augustin is expected home next week from South Bend, Ind., where she has been spending the summer.

W. A. Brown, ex-clerk of Morgan county, is in the city representing W. H. Stannage & Co., book binders of Cincinnati.

Miss Mollie Layher, accompanied Mrs. H. A. Dever, who has been the guest of the Layher family, to her home in Wooster, yesterday. They will take in the state fair while enroute.

Judge J. W. Bannon and Judge A. C. Thompson, of Portsmouth, are here today on legal business. * * * Mrs. Louis Boluss, of Portsmouth, who has been here for several weeks visiting friends, returned home this morning. —Irontonian.

TO CINCINNATI.

The Trades and Labor Assembly Union Will Run an Excursion.

The Trades and Labor Assemblies of the city are making arrangements to run a series of excursions to Cincinnati, via the C. P. & V. The excursions will be run Saturday and Sunday September 29 and 30, tickets good returning on all trains October 1st. A special train will be run Sunday morning. The low rate of $1.50 for the round trip has been secured. The assemblies invite all their friends to join them. Arrangements will be completed at the meeting Saturday evening.

THE FALL TERM

Of the W. H. M. S. Kindergarten will Open Monday, Sept. 10th.

The kindergarten conducted by the Woman's Home Missionary society of Bigelow M. E. church will open Monday morning, Sept. 10th, at the room on the corner of Bond and Front streets. Pupils will please report at that time.

Persons having pictures or other wall decorations they would like to give to the school will please send them to the room on Saturday.

For Sale.

The wreck of the steamer Tom Spurlock will be sold at public auction in the office of the Biggs House on Monday, September [illegible] at [illegible] p. m. Terms of sale cash. For further particulars apply to McClure [illegible], agents, or [illegible] W. W. [illegible] agents.

Delegate Rottinghaus.

John B. Rottinghaus will leave on the 13th inst. for New York, where he will attend the meeting of the German Roman Catholic Centralverein, as a delegate of St. Peters' Aid society, of this city. The sessions of the Central-verein will begin September 16.

Entertained the Concordia Society.

Miss Clara Bengel charmingly entertained the Concordia society of the German M. E. church at her residence on Gallia street last evening. A delightful musical program was rendered, and a very enjoyable evening spent by all.

See Murray and Mack.

In the new "Finnigan's Ball" at the Grand next Thursday evening, September 13.

Anto Schneck will serve a big free lunch at the White Bear [illegible] Saturday evening. All his friends are invited.

A COW'S DOINGS.

The Street Car Edna Thrown from the Track on the Harper Trestle—Delay and a Dead Cow.

"I'll tell you how it was," said Col. Floyd L. Smith this morning. "You see the Edna was running along peacefully and quietly at her usual gait. This bovine cow animal had been calling and was evidently pretty well jagged up. Motorman Floyd Anderson first observed her meandering carelessly over the trestle. He sounded the alarm and the animal started to land over the right of way. His Bovineship then revealed the details of a hellish plot by darting back on to the track and knowingly, willfully and maliciously thrusting its horns under the front of the motor car, gently lifting it from the track. The cow evidently repented when it looked into the beautiful faces of the elite who were passengers on the car and observed the fright it had caused and putting the car down gently, gracefully keeled over and died of sheer remorse and shame."

The car had just started over the trestle and had it been a little further along the accident might have been a very serious one. As it was an hour's delay of traffic, necessitating a transfer of passengers at that point, was the only inconvenience or damage.

The cow, which belonged to Mrs. Harper, was a very valuable one. The front trucks passed over its body, which had to be removed from beneath the car.

"PRIDE OF PORTSMOUTH NO. 2."

A New K. of P. Lodge Organized by Grand Chancellor Weaver Last Night.

A new K. of P. lodge was instituted by Grand Chancellor James H. Weaver of the grand jurisdiction of Ohio of N. A., S. A., E., A., A., in the Masonic hall, Gallia street, last night, with 25 members.

They elected the following officers: Robt. Kearns, C. C.; Nath. Lomax, V. C. C.; Grant Metcalf, prelate; Thos. Robinson, M. of A.; Jas. Coleman, M. of E.; D. A. Ferguson, M. of F.; Jas. H. Weaver, K. of R. and S.; Edw. Parker, I. G.; Jas. Sprnell, O. G.; Jas. Spruel, Nath. Lomax, Grant Metcalf, trustees.

The name of this lodge is the "Pride of Portsmouth, No. 2." After the organization the knights repaired to the anteroom where the committee on arrangements had prepared a table laden with the delicacies of the season.

A VERY FRESH YOUNG MAN.

Charles Hall, of Maysville, Attempts to Force His Company and is Arrested.

One lone offender answered the morning reveille in mayor's court. Chas. Hall, a C. & O. engineer, who claims Maysville as his home, was charged with intoxication and disorderly conduct. He boarded a street car at Market street early in the evening, and attempted to crowd into a seat with a number of ladies who were strangers to him and objected emphatically to his unwelcome attentions. Chas acknowledged it all this morning and paid $1.80 for his fun.

THE RACES.

The Crowd Treats Starter Grimes in a Most Shameful Manner.

There were some pleasing and some unpleasant features about the races yesterday. The grand stand was packed and the fences on both sides of the track were lined with spectators to the turns on each side of the wire. There has been considerable disappointment about the appointments of the track. The crowd guyed Starter Grimes most unmercifully several times and it seemed to have a demoralizing effect. It is doubtful if Mr. Grimes ever did a much harder day's work than yesterday, and although he was not exactly in plumb several times in handling the horses, yet the crowd treated him shamefully.

Mr. Grimes unfortunately made one or two bad mistakes, which laid him open to the shafts of rowdyism.—Ohio State Journal.

To Assist at Buena Vista.

Rev. Arthur E. Johnson will go to Buena Vista, Saturday, to assist in the work there, special services being held throughout Saturday and Sunday. His pulpit will be occupied by Rev. W. A. Hunter, of Oldtown.

About Her Eyes.

Mrs. Herman Moeller returned last evening from Cincinnati, where she had been consulting Drs. Ayres and Sattler in reference to her daughter's eyes, which are in a very serious condition.

From the present indication General J. B. Gordon, of Georgia, will be received by a large and appreciative audience at the Grand tomorrow night.

Fresh home made pretzels at Sprecher's every Saturday, 10 cents per dozen.

FRAGMENTS.

The N. & W. sold 317 tickets from Portsmouth to Columbus this week.

Magnolia Lodge, K. of P., initiated five candidates last evening in the Page degree.

The Imperial Flour mills shipped a car load of flour today via the C. & O. to Fayette, W. Va.

N. & W. passenger train No. 3 yesterday was a double header with fourteen coaches and carried 940 passengers into Columbus.

About ten couples of the young society people of Portsmouth will enjoy a hay ride this evening, going up on the West Side to Lucasville and back by the Pike.

Charles Slagel, at present bookkeeper at the Portsmouth Brewing Co.'s works, expects to enter Starling Medical college at Columbus, October 3.

IDA DEWITT ADJUDGED INSANE.

An Inquest of Lunacy Yesterday Afternoon—Other Court Items.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Washington Township—T. T. Smith to John W. Smith 8.50 acres $1.

John W. Smith to Mary M. Denning 20.25 acres.

Fifth Ward Portsmouth—Maria L. Vorner to Ella S. Brown and Anna M. Sanford lot 609.

An inquest of lunacy on Ida Dewitt was the only exciting or extraordinary event at the court house Thursday. Ida was brought to the jail shortly after noon, and devoted considerable time and energy in proving the absurdity of the claim that she was insane. She objected to being locked up but when told that the reason for locking the door was to keep people out and not to keep her in she was satisfied. When she learned that her mother had filed the affidavit charging her with being insane, she became wild and would have jumped on to her mother had she not been restrained. She was declared insane and will be taken to the Athens asylum.

PROBATE RECORD.

F. C. Atkin released from the county jail on $200 bond.

J. P. Montavon administrator vs. Mary E. Montavon et al. petition filed.

Missionary Boxes to Be Opened.

The missionary mite boxes of Sixth Street M. E. church will be opened Friday evening at 7:30, at the church. All those who have boxes or who took pennies to invest will please be on hand to report. All are invited. 7-8

Valjean to Move.

Editor J. E. Valjean, of the daily Blade, has rented the residence of W. A. Connelley, on Sixth street, and expects to occupy it in the near future.

Will Repair the Lodge.

George Schuler is having a cellar dug under the Lodge cafe and will shortly let a contract for making quite a number of repairs and alterations in the building.

School Board Tonight.

The school board will meet in regular session this evening. Among other things the resignation of J. J. Sutton will probably be presented.

Trimmer Will Race.

Trimmer will enter the races of the Steubenville and Wheeling cycling clubs. The former will be held Sept. 16 and the latter Sept. 19.

Attending the Reunion.

Newt. Huddleston, watchman at the railroad crossing at the C. P. & V. depot, is attending the G. A. R. reunion at Pittsburg. During his absence his place is filled by Frank Doty.

Dangerously Sick.

Dr. Walter W. Brown, of Arion, was in the city a few hours today. Dr. Brown reports that his grandfather, Thomas Brown, who is widely known, is dangerously ill.

To Study in Xenia.

Rev. Brodt, who has had charge of a congregation on Dogwood ridge, will preach his farewell sermon Sunday. He will go to Xenia to take a course of studies.

Hard times are forgotten when you enjoy yourself; so we assure you, by going out to the Grand on next Thursday evening. You will forget them for three hours while Murray and Mack will cause rounds of applause and laughter in the new "Finnigan's Ball."

Canton Orient, No. 67, I. O. O. F., should be encouraged by our citizens by their presence at the lecture given for their benefit by Gen. J. B. Gordon, the celebrated orator and statesman from Georgia.

Fresh bread, cakes and rolls every morning at Sprecher's bakery, 419 Chillicothe street.

"PIG SKIN POUNDERS,"

That's What the Waverly Courier Says the Portsmouth Ball Players Are.

The Waverly Courier pays its respects to the base ball club from this city which played in Waverly Labor day, as follows;

"Every lover of base ball past time will recall, since the contest with the Portsmouth team on Monday afternoon, the prophecy of Dave Stahler a few weeks ago when he modestly suggested to the River City pig skin pounders that if they wanted to be done up to a fashionable brown, they should tackle the Waverly boys. Of course the boys know now what he meant. The games here Monday indicated one thing very clearly to begin with, and that was that the Portsmouth boys sent up here to play ball don't belong in our class at all. They could probably hold a high school team down pretty well but they should not make the mistake again of attempting to play with a team that is as much beyond them as it is possible for one team to be beyond another, who make a pretense of playing ball at all. It will not be interesting to go into details at all when it is announced that the score of both games stood 17 to 4 and 11 to 1, respectively in favor of Waverly. We will say this, however, that while the Portsmouth boys can not play ball with our boys at all, so far as we know they are gentlemen and conducted themselves as such while in our little city. When they have played and practiced for a year or two longer, we shall be pleased to have them call again."

The Sample Shoe Co. Ad.

Special attention is called to the ad. of the Sample Shoe Co. This firm is now offering an exceptionally fine line of goods, and it will pay you to glance over their list of prices.

She Swore.

"Do you love me?" he whispered, in the pale, warm moonlight.

She collapsed upon his manly neck and, burying her head in the foliage, murmured her acquiescence.

"Swear!" he exclaimed, deeply agitated.

"Oh, Henry, I can't," she murmured.

"Swear!" he exclaimed, remorselessly, removing her cold form from its resting-place and holding her out at arms' length, "swear, or——"

She shuddered violently and then, clasping his hand in an ecstacy of confidence, she whispered:

"Darn!"

They are one.—Minneapolis Journal.

Still of the Same Mind.

Mrs. Longwed—I don't care; once was the time when you thought the world of me. I remember when you used to say that nothing could improve me.

Mr. Longwed—Well, I still say that nothing could improve you. You are incorrigible.—Boston Transcript.

It Made a Difference.

Ethel—Have you noticed how much merrier Blanche has grown lately? She used to be so very quiet and reserved—hardly open her mouth. She's quite a different girl.

Maud—Yes, dear; she's got a new set of teeth, you know.—Tid-Bits.

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